(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	UNION TERRITORIES			
26.	A&N Islands	110.6	136.3	23.24
27.	Chandigarh	252.8	269.3	6.49
28.	D & N Haveli	256.3	204.1	-20.34
29.	Daman & Diu	234.5	205.4	-12.43
30.	Delhi	327.0	488.2	-7.36
31.	Lakshadweep	73.3	37.1	-49.35
32.	Pondicherry	274.3	250.5	-8.69
	Total (UTs)	476.5	444.4	-6.73
	Total (All-India)	183.4	180.0	-1.85

Source: Crime in India Data

Criminal Record of a Citizen Award Winner

869. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item captioned "Citizen Award Winner has four Criminal Record", appearing in the Hindu, dated May 20, 1998;

(b) if so, the nature and details of the four criminal cases filed against the citizen award winner;

(c) whether he has any relations with the NGO which had selected him for the said award; and

(d) whether verification of antecedents of the recipient as well as the NGO was not desirable?

THE MINISTER OF HOME ARRAIRS (SHRI L. K. ADVANI): (a) yes, Sir.

(b) Of the four criminal cases referred to in the news report in question, two related to theft of electricity; one to mischief by fire; and the fourth to criminal intimidation. The two cases have cither been sent as untraced or cancelled.

(c) and (d) The National Citizen's Award, 1996 instituted by a Non-Governmental Organisation (NGO) was presented by the President of India to 24 prominent personalities. As per the communication sent by the NGO to the President, the recipients of the award were selected by a distinguished jury headed by a former Chief Justice of India. The Government was not involved with the function, and it was for the sponsoring NGO to verify the antecedents of all the awardees. The Government is not therefore aware whether he had any relationship with the NGO concerned.

Gujarat's Proposal for High Speed Boats for Coastal Patrolling

870. SHRI BRAHMAKUMAR BHATT: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a proposal of the Gujarat Government for purchase of high speed boats for use for Joint Coastal Patrolling is pending with Government;

(b) if so, whether a decision has been taken thereon; and